



Purfleet-on-Thames Community Forum

Annual General Meeting Minutes 25th January 2022

1. Minutes of the AGM on 26th January 2021 were agreed.
2. Matters arising
None
3. Statement from the Chair and Financial Report
Last year we held our first virtual AGM.
We are working with PCRL for better community engagement and awaiting confirmation regarding the next community workshop.
Although it has taken 2 years we are pleased that our ongoing positive conversations have resulted in us being given 5 benches rather than 2, and these are due to be installed shortly.
The Forum supported Remembrance Day along with unveiling of the 26 WW1 silhouettes, installed as a permanent reminder.
We organised our own event, making use of the children's centre, for our festive light switch on and thanks go to everyone who turned out on such a bad night.
Thanks also to all the helpers and Erica for organising the Choir. Thanks to Ensign, PCRL, Lynn Mansfield/Garrison Residents Association and Purfleet Participation Group for their donations.
We held a couple of litter picks and hope to hold more regular events this year.
In November the Forum received a certificate of recognition from the mayor for their work during COVID.
Plans are under way for a Queen's Jubilee Platinum event.
Ring fenced finances of £4,441.08
Thanks was given to the vice-chair, the committee and the community for their involvement.
4. Adoption of the Constitution was agreed and existing committee stood down.
5. Voting in of the new committee facilitated by Lourdette Wilkes, Tilbury Forum.
Current committee members had all confirmed their willingness to re-stand and one other expression of interest had been received.

Executive Committee:

Chair – John Rowles

Proposed by Lourdette Wilkes, seconded by Dee Lee

Vice-Chair – Trevor Batchelor

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Proposed by Lourdetto Wilkes, seconded by John Rowles

Treasurer – Hilary Mason

Proposed by Lourdetto Wilkes, seconded by Trevor Batchelor

Secretary – Claire Asplin

Proposed by Lourdetto Wilkes, seconded by John Rowles

General Committee

Adrian Hilsum

Proposed by Lourdetto Wilkes, seconded by Claire Asplin

Christine Rowles

Proposed by Lourdetto Wilkes, seconded by Dee Lee

Moira Pollington

Proposed by Lourdetto Wilkes, seconded by Trevor Batchelor

Lisa Wright

Proposed by Lourdetto Wilkes, seconded by Moira Pollington

Gail Lawson-Phillips

Proposed by Lourdetto Wilkes, seconded by Claire Asplin

All were successfully voted in and accepted their position.